AD FOR FAIR LENA FOOLS THE COPPERS

Sleuths of Baltimore and Washington Come on Wild Goose Chase.

ABOUT TO ARREST WELL-KNOW N MAN

Detective Ready to Act, When Local Officer Gives Word of Caution, Which Saves Trouble-Lemon Not Only

Big, but Very

ALEXANDRIA, VA., November 9.-Wanted by a young German girl, sral housework; love children. State

ewspaper, and it has resulted in the Saltimore and Washington detective much to their chagrin. The advertise-

apparently about twenty-nine years of age, came up to the box and removed therefrom half a dozen-letters or more sill addressed to "Lena." The Baitimore sleuth was about to take the man in custody as an accomplice. Policeman Roberts, however, recognized the man, and told the detectives that it would be better to make a little investigation before taking action in the premises. The detectives harkened to his advice, and a short time atterward they commenced to make a rigid investigation, and ascertained that the premisers of Alexandria Lodge, No. 758, Benevolent and Protective Order of Elks, recently rented the box in question and also caused the advertisement to be inserted in the paper.

Bid Not Relish Lemon.

It appears that "Lena" will appear Revenue Officers at plant, But of display of feminate in the finery had not been seen here since the advent of the republic. There is not been seen here since the advent of the republic. There is not to be a devent of the profusion of cost-life soft dainty lingerie. The lingerie alone cost \$\$50,000, the beautiful skirts and other garments whelch the bride alone cost \$\$50,000, the beautiful skirts and other garments whelch the bride that four or five men were in the store at the time of Miss Conner's departure from the place, but none of the store at the time of Miss Conner's and other garments whelch the bride will wear on her wedding day attracting especial attention. The princess were de-lailed to work on the case, but no clues were found last night. It was stated that four or five men were in the store at the time of Miss Conner's departure from the place, but none of the store at the time of Miss Conner's man developed the store at the time of Miss Conner's man developed the store at the time of miss and the store at the time of miss and the store at the time of miss and the store at the store at the time of miss and the store at the store at the time of miss and the store at the store at

Did Not Relish Lemon.

It appears that "Lena" will appear in an amateur dramatic performance to be given within the next few days by the Elks, and their press agents had gotten busy, and the demand for the services of "Lena" were so numerous that the agents simply wrote all who desired her services, sting forth that she could be seen at the operahouse on such and such a date.

The detectives from the two cities were dumfounded when they heard the story in detail, and they solemnly promised themselves, it is stated, that hereafter they will let the local police look out for such affairs. Both detectives "left Altyandria greatly chargined over the occurrence, although they could not but laugh when they realized that they had been handed a great big lemon as large as can be secured in either Washington or Baltimore.

Where Sheriff Was Killed.

[Special to The Times-Dispatch.]
DANVILLE, VA., Novemer 9.—Following the shock occasioned by the tragic death of his brother. Sheriff John P. Beard, of Amherst Courthouse, Va., whose legs were severed just below the knees by a Southern Railway passenger train here last night, causing injuries from which he died several hours later, A. D. Beard, Commissioner of Revenus in his district in Amherst, dropped dead here to-day in the front yard of the residence and office of Dr. W. C. Day, surgeon, for the Southern Railway at Danville.

surgeon, for the Southern Railway at Danville.

Mr. Beard arrived in Danville at midnight last night, being called on account of his brother's death, and with a number of friends and relatives went to see Dr. Day to ascertain some particulars of the death. While apparently in good health and without uttering a word he expired. Heart trouble, from which he had been a sufferer, coupled with grief, was the cause of his death.

The remains of Sheriff Beard were sent to his home this morning accompanied by a Masonic escort from this city, the deceased being a member of that order. The body was accompanied by his son, Clarence Beard, and Mrs. Edward Beard, his daughter-in-law, and Mrs. N. G. Perkins, his daughter, who was with him at the time of the tragedy.

The body of A. D. Beard was sent

PLOT TO KILL CZAR

BANK OFFICERS ARRESTED

TROUSSEAU OF A PRINCESS

ROOSEVELT OR BRYAN

FORECLOSURE OF MORTGAGE

Such Action Instituted Against the Metropolitan.

NEW YORK, November 9.—An action of foreclosure of a mortgage, which is held as trustee against the property of the Metropolitan Street Railway Company, was begun by the National Trust Company to-day in the United States Circuit Court.

The mortgage was given to secure an issue of bonds that should at no time exceed \$65.009,000. An action was recently commenced by the Morton Trust Company against the receivers of the Metropolitan sking that the profile and earnings of the road be applied to the payment of interest and lease rentals, as provided for in the mortgage.

The receivers, by order of the court, and the receivers of the Metropolitan sking that the mortgage.

The receivers, by order of the court, and the receivers of the Metropolitan sking that the mortgage.

The receivers, by order of the court, and the receivers of the Metropolitan sking that the mortgage.

The receivers, by order of the court, and the receivers of the Metropolitan sking that the mortgage.

The receivers, by order of the court, and the receivers of the Metropolitan sking that the mortgage.

The receivers, by order of the court, and the receivers of the Metropolitan sking that the mortgage.

The receivers of the receivers of the receivers of the Metropolitan sking that the mortgage.

The receivers of the receivers of the receivers of the sking that if Mr. Roosevelt did not with a positive champ Colle, of Messouria, and the would not be a candidate next time that he would not be a candidate next time that he would not be a candidate next time that he would not be a candidate next time that he would not be a candidate next time that he would not be a candidate next time that he would not be a candidate next time that he would not be a candidate next time that he would not be a candidate next time that he would not be a candidate next time that he would not be a candidate next time that he would not be a candidate next time that he would not be a candidate next time

Commissioner Beard, of Amberst, Dies GIRL BRUTALLY Where Sheriff Was Killed. ASSAULTED; TWO OTHER ATTEMPTS

Outbreak of Hideous Crimes in Eastern-End of City.

WHITE WOMAN VICTIM OF BRUTE

Knocked in Head and Dragged Into Alley-Another Chased by Negro Until She , Fell in Faint. Third At-

tempt.

Revenue Officers of the Plant, But Only Checking Up. (Special to The Times Dispatch.)

DANVILLE, VA. November 9.—A report was in circulation here to-night that another raid was made to-day by government officers on the plant of the Dry Fork Distilling Company, which was closed down feveral days ago pending an inest gation (or alleged frauds. Several of the revenue officials when seen at the hotel to-night said they knew nothing about it. All of the many officials operating in the of the many officials operating in the neighborhood maintain a stubborn silence, and will not state their mission here. T. M. Angel, of the distilling company, when called up over telephone to-night, said that a corps of officers were engaged to-day in checking his bonds and examining the stamps and whiskey stored in the warehouse, but that no further raid or selzure had been made.

While returning home from the market last night at about 9:30 o'clock, Mrs. L. R. Mayer, 1825 Carrington Street, was accosted near the corner of Mosby and Carrington Streets by a negro man who attempted to take hold of her. Mrs. Mayer, terrified at even being spoken to by a negro, succeeded in dodging the man, and ran frantically down Carrington Street, with hor assailant close, behind her. For perhaps and whiskey stored in the warehouse, but that no further raid or selzure had been made.

BARBER AND WOMAN WHO CLAIMS TO BE WIFE



MRS. H. R. BARBER, of Connelleville, Pa, Who Claims to Have Been Married to Barber Before He Came to Richard Momen Here.

Tobacco Company Telegraphed SILL MORE GOLD 000 Arrived Yesterday.

DEPOSITED IN LOCAL BANKS

First Time in History of City That Gold Has Come Direct from England.

Great Britain and Ireland (Limited) 'n view of the difficulties in procuring cur ed and brought to Richmond \$500,000 and has been deposited in the follow-

ALDERMEN ALSO DENOUNCE

HAS BEEN ENGAGED

Brings Total Up to Fifty Million, Premier Which Is Now Record for New York.

Congratulates World on Result of Conference.

The Imperial Tobacco Company of BANKS IN BETTER SHAPE BRITISH NAVY'S READINESS

WASHINGTON, D. C., November 9.—
J. N. Seale, manager of the Northern and Eastern Divisions of the Southern Railway, was stricken with naralysis while at Salisbury. N. C., at § o'clock this morning, and was brought direct to this city, where he arrived at 12:20 to-night. He was so ill that he was not removed from his private car, but Mrs. Seale met him at the station and continued by his bedside the remainder of the night. Dr. Muncastor was summended. He said at 1 a'clock that his patient was resting easy, and that his condition was batter than it had been.

CLAIMING MAN AS HUSBAND, BOTH SEE HIM GO TO JAIL

The Alleged Connellsville Wife of Barber Here to "Vindicate Herself."

DRAMATIC SCENES IN POLICE COURT

Pollock Tries to Prove Persecuent's Wife and Attacks the Veracity of R. L. Barnes. The Case to Be Pushed.

After one of the hardest fights ex and prosecuted by Commonwealth's Atast night, and was sentenced by Jus-

Campbell - Bannerman hesitation he gave his verdict, and the prisoner was sentenced. Mrs. Barber, of Richmond, who had been seated by the husband all through the trial, when she was not occupied as a witness, tried to smile, but the tears soon came, and she gave way to her emotions.

ALDERMEN ALSO DENOUNCE

A segrent and four officers were dealied to were found last uight. It was
stated that prove of the case, but
the street at the time of bline Century
the dark Eas related
the dark

advertisements, which was thousands more than printed by any other paper in

"Little Old Solid Old Richmond."